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I, <u>David McClean</u> , swear (or affirm) that, to the best of n financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining <u>Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company)</u> , as of <u>Decem swear</u> (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as	to the firm of <u>Lake Champiain Brokerage</u> bber 31, 2011, are true and correct. I further r, proprietor, principal officer or director has
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X (b) Statement of Financial Condition.X (c) Statement of Income (Loss).	
X (d) Statement of Cash Flows. X (e) Statement of Changes in Member's Equity or Solo	e Proprietor's Capital.
(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated	to Claims of Creditors.
X (g) Computation of Net Capital. (h) Computation of Determination for Reserve Requi	rements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
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Rule 15c3-1 and the Computation for Determina	ation of the Reserve Requirements Officer
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focus report. X (I) An Oath or Affirmation.	
(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.(n) A report describing any material inadequacies four	nd to exist or found to have existed since the
date of the previous audit	
X (o) Auditors' Report on Internal Control Structure Rec	dalled by OLO Itale 17 a-o.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2011



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LAKE CHAMPLAIN BROKERAGE SERVICES, LLC (A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY) FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2011

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) 130 West 42nd Street New York, NY 10036

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) as of December 31, 2011, and the related statements of (loss) and member's equity, and cash flows and the statement of 15c 3-1 net capital computation for the period from August 2, 2011 (inception) through December 31, 2011 that you are filing pursuant to 17a-5 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) at December 31, 2011, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the from period August 2, 2011 (inception) through December 31, 2011 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Jericho, NY February 7, 2012 Lipner, Soffeman & Co., LEP

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

DECEMBER 31, 2011

ASSETS

Cash	<u>\$ 29,520</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 29,520</u>
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQUITY	
Current liabilities: Accrued expenses	<u>\$ 5,500</u>
Total current liabilities	5,500
Member's equity	24,020
Total liabilities and member's equity	<u>\$ 29,520</u>



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STATEMENT OF (LOSS)

PERIOD FROM AUGUST 2, 2011 (INCEPTION) THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2011

Revenues: Interest income	<u>\$ 11</u>
Expenses:	0.000
Professional fees	3,000
Membership fees	427
Office expense	2,500
Other	<u> 124</u>
Total operating expenses	6,051
Net (loss)	\$ (6,040)



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STATEMENT OF MEMBER'S EQUITY

PERIOD FROM AUGUST 2, 2011 (INCEPTION) THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2011

Balance, January 1, 2011		\$ -
Donations to capital		30,060
Net (loss)	•	_(6,040)
Balance, December 31, 2011		\$ 24,020



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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

PERIOD FROM AUGUST 1, 2011 (INCEPTION) THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2011

Cash flows from operating activities: Net (loss) Adjustments to reconcile net (loss) to net cash provided (used)	\$	(6,040)
by operating activities: Increase in accrued expenses Total adjustments Net cash (used) by operating activities	<u> </u>	5,500 5,500 (540)
Cash flows from financing activities: Donations to capital Net cash provided by financing activities		30,060 30,060
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		29,520
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$	29,520
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information: Cash paid during the period for: Income taxes paid Interest paid	\$ \$	- -



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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2011

1. Statement of Significant Accounting Policies:

Organization:

Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (the "company"), was organized under the laws of the State of Delaware and was authorized to do business in New York. The company became a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. in 2011.

Concentration of risk:

As of December 31, 2011, the Wells Fargo bank statement indicated a balance of \$29,520. This amount is held in a non-interest bearing account. All funds in a non-interest bearing transaction account are insured in full by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) from December 31, 2010 through December 31, 2012. This temporary unlimited coverage is in addition to, and separate from, the coverage of at least \$250,000 available to depositors under the FDIC's general deposit insurance rules.

The FASB issued guidance related to subsequent events, which was primarily codified into FASB ASC 855, Subsequent Events. This guidance establishes general standards of accounting for the disclosure of events that occur after the date of the statement of financial condition but before financial statements are issued. In particular, the guidance sets forth: (1) the period after the date of the statement of financial condition during which management of a reporting entity should evaluate events or transactions that may occur for potential recognition or disclosure in the financial statements; (2) the circumstances under which an entity should recognize events or transactions occurring after the date of the statement of financial condition in its financial statements; and (3) the disclosures that an entity should make about events or transactions that occurred after the date of the statement of financial condition.

FASB ASC 855 is effective for interim or annual periods ending after June 15, 2009, and is to be applied prospectively. The Company adopted FASB ASC 855 as of December 31, 2011. The Company has evaluated all events or transactions that occurred after December 31, 2011, up through the date that the financial statements were available to be issued on February 7, 2012.

Cash and Cash Equivalents:

Cash equivalents are limited to short term, highly liquid investments that are both readily convertible to known amounts of cash and of an original maturity of three months or less.

Use of Estimates:

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported revenues and expenses. Actual results could vary from the estimates that were assumed in preparing the financial statements.



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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

DECEMBER 31, 2011

1. Statement of Significant Accounting Policies (continued):

Income Taxes:

No provision for federal and state income taxes has been made in these financial statements, as these taxes are the responsibility of the member under this form of organization.

2. Net Capital Requirements:

Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 12 to 1 in the first year of operation. At December 31, 2011, Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) had net capital of \$24,020 after adjustments for non-allowable assets, which was \$19,020 in excess of its required net capital. Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company)'s net capital ratio was .2290 to 1.

3. <u>Commitments and Contingencies</u>:

The company had no significant contingent liabilities requiring disclosure in the financial statements.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL UNDER S.E.C. RULE 15c3-1 DECEMBER 31, 2011

Member's equity Less:	\$ 24,020
Non allowable assets Net capital	\$ 24,020
Computation of basic net capital requirement	
Minimum net capital requirements of 6-2/3% of aggregate indebtedness	<u>\$ 367</u>
Minimum net capital requirements of reporting broker-dealer	<u>\$ 5,000</u>
Net capital requirement	<u>\$ 5,000</u>
Excess net capital	<u>\$ 19,020</u>
Computation of aggregate indebtedness Total A.I. liabilities	<u>\$ 5,500</u>
Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital	<u>35%</u>
Reconciliation with Company's computation (included in Part IIA of Form X-17A-5 as of December 31, 2011)	
Net capital as reported in Company's Part IIA unaudited focus report Audit adjustments	\$ 24,020
Net capital, per above	<u>\$ 24,020</u>



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COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RESERVE REQUIREMENTS

AND INFORMATION RELATING TO POSSESSION AND CONTROL

REQUIREMENTS UNDER RULE 15c3-3 OF THE

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

DECEMBER 31, 2011

The Company is exempt from Securities Exchange Commission ("SEC") Rule 15c3-3 pursuant to the exemptive provisions of sub-paragraph (k)(2)(i) and, therefore, is not required to maintain a "Special Reserve Bank Account for the Exclusive Benefit of Customers."



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL STRUCTURE REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5

Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) 130 West 42nd Street New York, NY 10023

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) for the period August 1, 2011 (inception) through ended December 31, 2011, we considered the internal control structure, including procedures for safeguarding securities, in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control structure.

Also, as required by rule 17A-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission, we have made a study of the practices and procedures (including tests of compliance with such practices and procedures) followed by Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17A-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and the procedures for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. We did not review the practices and procedures followed by the company in making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by rule 17a-12 (2) in complying with the requirements for prompt payment of securities under Section 8 of Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and (3) in obtaining and maintaining physical possession or control of all fully paid and excess margin securities of customers as required by rule 15c3-3 because the company does not carry security accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities.

Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company) are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of internal control structure policies and procedures and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the Commission's above-mentioned objectives.

Two of the objectives of an internal control structure and the practices and procedures are to provide the company with reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that assets for which it has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with its authorization and recorded properly to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph. The above should be considered with the fact that the company is owned by one individual and does not maintain a separate office staff.

Because of inherent limitations in any internal control structure or the practices and procedures referred to above, errors or irregularities may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of the internal control structure would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control structure that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of the specific internal control structure elements does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that errors or irregularities in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving the internal control structure, including procedures for safeguarding securities, that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the Commission to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, no facts came to our attention indicating that the company was not in compliance with such conditions during the period from August 2, 2011 through December 31, 2011.

This report is intended solely for the use of Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC (A Limited Liability Company), the Securities and Exchange Commission, the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. and other regulatory agencies which rely on rule 17A-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and should not be used for any other purpose.

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LIPNER, SOFFERMAN & CO., LLP

Jericho, NY February 7, 2012



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LAKE CHAMPLAIN BROKERAGE SERVICES, LLC

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES RELATED TO THE SIPC ASSESSMENT RECONCILIATION REQUIRED BY SEC RULE 17a-5

To the Members of Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC:

In accordance with Rule 17a-5(e)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, we have performed the procedures enumerated below with respect to the accompanying Schedule of Assessment and Payments (Form SIPC-7) to the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) for the period August 2, 2011 (inception) through December 31, 2011, which were agreed to by Lake Champlain Brokerage Services, LLC ("the Company") and the Securities and Exchange Commission, Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc., SIPC, and other designated examining authority or specific parties of report, solely to assist you and the other specified parties in evaluating the Company's compliance with the applicable instructions of the Transitional Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7). The Company's management is responsible for the Company's compliance with those requirements. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of those parties specified in this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose. The procedures we performed and our findings are as follows:

- 1. Compared the listed assessment payments in Form SIPC-7 with respective cash disbursement records noting no differences;
- 2. Compared the amounts reported on the audited Form X-17A-5 for the period August 2, 2011 (inception) through December 31, 2011 with the amounts reported in Form SIPC-7 for the period August 2, 2011 (inception) through December 31, 2011 noting no differences;
- 3. Compared any adjustments reported in Form SIPC-7 with supporting schedules and working papers noting no differences;
- 4. Proved the arithmetical accuracy of the calculations reflected in Form SIPC-7 and in the related schedules and working papers supporting the adjustments noting no differences.

We were not engaged to, and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on the Company's compliance with the applicable instructions of the Transitional Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7). Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the specified parties listed above and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Lipner, Safferman & Co., LLP

LIPNER, SOFFERMAN & CO., LLP

Jericho, NY February 7, 2012

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SCHEDULE OF SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION

ASSESSMENTS AND PAYMENTS

PERIOD FROM AUGUST 2, 2011 (INCEPTION) THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2011

SIPC Net Operating Revenues per General Assessment Reconciliation Form SIPC-7	\$
General Assessments at .0025	\$ -
Payment Remitted with Forms SIPC-6	
Amount due With Form SIPC-7	\$ -